

which is formed by interlacing the stems of the bunch of flowers used in the hat.

We will have no more hats, but instead loops of straw or lace ornamented with buckles or pins will come down on the hair. With flowers and combined the aigrettes and plumes. Large hats are trimmed with plumes and a few small flowers. All hats will be worn forward. In the summer we will have lace hats with gilt and jeweled bands that will indicate a small fortune to the happy possessor.

In trimming the newest fad is the plaited ribbon, silk and velvet which will be worn prettily in the hair. Small bows and bows now in vogue. Bands of lace and large bunches of stars and thorns will be seen. Another novelty, the *moira silk*, embroidered with gold thread and silk, will be very dainty and stylish for some. The prevailing shades will be violet and the beautiful panay shades and some green. Veils are black with purple or violet dots and serve to enhance rather than conceal the face beneath them.

#### Music at Trinity Church.

St. Agnes' guild of Trinity church has prepared the following musical program, to be given in the church tomorrow evening:

*Cantus*—St. Agnes' Guild  
Guitar—Fleming—Russian  
Mystic Poem and Minuet, Mme. Savage  
Moses, David and Sam, Miss Eddie Eason  
Plane Dose—Leslie Webster—Dundas  
Mines Whistlers and Savage

White Dove—Mrs. Eason—Dundas  
Miss Eason—Wright and Mr. Warner  
Vocal Solo—The Hill over the Dale—Dover

Mrs. Price, Mrs. McDowell,  
Saints Poems—Gospel Hymns—H. Kowhai  
Two Pictures

Wives of Pastors and their Daughters  
Grand Union Harmonie—Southfield

Medieval Poem and Mitchell, Miss Savage  
Lambeth—Mrs. Mohr

Plane Dose—Suzanne de Bruges—Author  
Wanda P. Thompson—Russian

Mrs. Evans and Mr. Warner—Dundas  
Vocal Solo—We Meet Again—Haley

Music—Mabel and Ned, Miss Eason  
Maypole Dance—Mrs. Eason—Southfield

Mystic Poem and Minuet, Mme. Savage  
Lambeth—Mrs. Mohr

#### Art Club Progress.

Members of the Grand Rapids Art Association rejoice that they are at last incorporated and have secured such spacious, pleasant quarters for their meetings, which have heretofore been held in the study of Mrs. E. M. Coppens. They have rented the entire lower half of the fifth floor of the McMullen block, which includes one large room where the meetings and exhibitions will be held, surrounded by smaller rooms on three sides, which will be occupied by artists for studios. J. G. Fassett is already in one of the rooms, and Frank Smith and Mrs. L. Davis have selected their studios. The halls have been retinted and the heating much improved by the repairs made, and the sky-light, which is now small and once-eared, is to be greatly enlarged. The rooms will be ready for occupancy next week. The association, of which John Hazelton is president, will meet on Tuesday evenings.

Just now all artists are very busy preparing for the first exhibition to be held in their new rooms, which will take place in April. Mr. Seizer is working on a cattle piece, Miss Davis on fruit and still life, Miss Annin will contribute a number of flower pieces and Mrs. Coppens some figures and heads from life.

#### Medical Banquet Tomorrow.

The annual meeting and banquet of the Grand Rapids Academy of Medicine will be held at the Peninsular club house tomorrow evening. Dr. D. Emmett Welsh, the retiring president, will deliver the annual address. Dr. Ralph H. Spencer will act as master of ceremonies. The following is the program of toasts:

"The Academy of Medicine"; Dr. Eugene Bates  
"Specialists" Dr. W. H. Williams  
"Dr. Perry Schmitz  
"Women in Medicine" Dr. Francis J. Gardner  
"Medicine" Dr. J. Orton Eason

The following is the menu:

Open Tortilla, Caviar, Oysters, Shrimps, Fish, Mushrooms, Peas, Asparagus, Tomato Salad, Cucumbers, Cakes.

About forty are expected to attend, including several prominent physicians from other parts of the state.

#### Sleigh Ride and Cards.

One of the jolliest sleighing parties of the season drove to the residence of Dr. J. K. Hanna and wife Wednesday evening. After the delightful ride, the company adjourned themselves to progressive pedro until supper was served.

The head plates were won by Mr. and Mrs. C. Smith, the bushes by C. Black and F. Steiner. The party was made up of the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. N. K. Seizer, Mr. and Mrs. H. Brower and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. Kowhai and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. N. Brower, Mr. and Mrs. C. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Worley and family, Mr. and Mrs. F. Steiner and family, Mr. and Mrs. G. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. H. Kowhai, C. Black and son, G. Cole and Miss Brown, Mr. and Mrs. A. Black.

#### Promised Surprise.

On Tuesday evening the young friends of Miss Ethel Wilkes gave her a very pleasant surprise party at her home, No. 101 Grand street. The evening was largely spent in playing games, refreshments were served and at 10 o'clock the guests departed.

Among those present were Misses Mabel, Hazel, Anna, Jessie, John, Jessie, Fox, Helen, Osgood, Daisy, Saul, Miller, Gould, Grace Andrews, Ellen Parker, Jenny McLean, Minnie and Grace White and Masters Hollie Shook, Eddie Shook, Jimmy Roy, Adelbert Simpson, John Snyder, Roy Moore, Mont Hawkins, William Richter, John Frey, Willie Hendell and James Jameson.

#### Miss Hunt's Party.

On Thursday evening Mrs. H. M. Hunt of Paris Avenue, very pleasantly entertained her friends. Supper was served at 7 o'clock, after which cards were played till late hour. The winners were Mrs. Amphlett and Will Adam. Those who enjoyed Mrs. Hunt's hospitality were Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Barber, Mr. and Mrs. Will Adam, Mr. and Mrs. William C. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Amphlett, Miss Carrie Scott and Henry Adam.

#### Miss Koenig's Third Wedding.

Mrs. Jacob Koenig gave the third of her series of polo parties to her women friends on Thursday afternoon at her home, No. 120 Jefferson Avenue. Games tables were played. The refreshments were decorated in white and gold. Refreshments were served at 8. The party lasted from 3 o'clock to 5.

#### Miss Madigan's.

Tuesday next at 8 o'clock, at St. James' church, Miss Anna Madigan and Charles F. Scott will be married by Rev. Dr. Failean. The wedding breakfast will be served at an expense of the bride's parents, No. 121

Fifth street, at which the near relatives only will be present.

#### Expect a Big Delegation.

The local Epworth league, consisting of the young people of the Methodist churches, are preparing to entertain some 800 delegates at the League convention which meets here April 8 and 9. The preparatory work has been systematically divided among the several churches. During the convention addresses will be made by pastors and representatives of other churches. The proceedings will be in the Division street church, which will be finely decorated for the occasion.

#### General Social Events.

Central W. T. U. met Thurs-

day afternoon and elected Mrs. Mc-

Ghee as treasurer to fill vacancy,

and Mrs. L. A. Merrill, Mrs. M. H. Mooreman and Mrs. E. L. Somer as members of board of directors of the Woman's home and hospital. The exercises consisted of a scrapbook with reports of work from the field. Next week Thursday Mrs. Rose will have charge of the meeting, and Miss McDowell is expected to speak on the Hull house Friday night.

cause is in holding on account of the illness of her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Ainsworth started

Wednesday for a three months' trip

through the southern states.

Alexander Eric will continue business

and pleasure in a trip to Chicago and

Minneapolis.

Col. E. Crofton Fox is taking a trip

through the pinnacles of North Carolina.

Mrs. Andrew Frye is engaged to sing

at a concert at Newaygo, February 14.

Leo P. H. Fisher is in New York on

his semi-annual purchasing trip.

Fred A. Wurzburg is making a busi-

ness trip through the east.

Miss F. McDowell is in Detroit with

her son, who is very ill.

Judge Burney Hoyt is in Mexico on a

business trip.

Miss Seymour went to Kalamazoo

Friday night.

#### In the City.

E. A. Hamilton of Sacramento, Cal.,

is visiting his parents, the Rev. and

Mrs. Hamilton, after an absence of five

or six years on the Pacific coast.

Miss Florence Cromwell, principal of

the Straight street school, has nervous

prostration, and Miss Elsie C. Smith is

supplying for her.

L. T. Wilcox of Jackson is in the city,

representing a stove manufacturing

company, with a view to establishing a

branch here.

J. H. Wonderly, wife and daughter,

and Mr. and Mrs. J. Boyd Pantlind will

leave Tuesday for a trip to the Hot

Springs.

Miss Georgia Bacon went to Lansing

Friday night, in the interest of the

State Teachers' association.

Miss Kate Douglas Wiggins will be

the guest of her cousin, the Rev. Miss

Upper, while in the city.

The Rev. Charles Fluhrer officiated

at the funeral of the late George F.

Outhwaite of Muskegon.

H. H. Snell, now engaged in the

lumber business at Elkhart, Ind., is

visiting old friends here.

Prof. F. M. Kendall, ex-superinten-

dent of schools here, now of Chicago,

was in town last week.

Dr. H. M. King has returned from

New York, with his bride, and is at the

New Livingston.

Miss Mary Hopkins, of Kalamazoo

is spending a few days with her friend,

Miss Boatwick.

Miss Palen has been entertaining her

friend, Miss Stella Williams, of Cedar

Springs.

Miss Lucy Putnam of No. 458 Jeff-

erson avenue is recovering from her

illness.

The Rev. J. Brewster Hubbs attended

a meeting of this diocese at Kala-

mazoo.

Mrs. Mott is again at the Irving,

having returned from a trip to New York.

Miss Parish of Muskegon is spend-

ing Sunday with friends in the city.

Dr. Kelly is at St. Mark's hospital

church, Monday evening.

Frank Mitchell, of Chicago is visiting

in the city.

Miss Golias of Chicago is visiting in

the city.

Miss Carrie Holten has been ill for

some time.

LIFE ON THE STAGE.

(Continued from Ninth Page.)

the people of Ohio paid so marked at-

tention to an actor.

By the will of the late Samuel Lud-

iam legacies of \$31,500 each were be-

queathed to his four grandchildren—

Amelia Glover (Mrs. John H. Russell),

the wife of Henry E. Dixey, a young-

sister not on the stage, and Henry A.

Ludiam, head usher at the Star

street M. E. church.

The Good Templars gave an enter-

tainment in the McMullen block Fri-

day evening, which was well attended.

The choir of Joy memorial church fur-

nished the music.

A progressive pedro party was given

Friday evening at the home of A. H.

Evans, No. 232 Indiana street, by the

Crescent council No. 176, Order of

United Friends.

Friday afternoon the McMullen block

was filled with social callers.

At the same time the Crescent council

was holding its annual meeting.

At 8 o'clock the McMullen block

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